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INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN VIA POUCH

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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ACOM, ENRG, TECH

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO TRANSMIT URANIUM ORE SAMPLE

1. REQUEST APPROVAL TRANSMIT BY POUCH SAMPLE OF SOUTH AFRICAN REEF URANIUM BEARING ORE TO ROBERT D. NINNINGER, ASST. DIRECTOR RAW MATERIAL, DIVISION PRODUCTION AND MATERIALS MANAGEMENT, US AEC. SAMPLE REQUESTED BY HIM ON APPARENTLY URGENT BASIS FROM SOUTH AFRICA ATOMIC ENERGY BOARD. SA AEB OFFICIAL SAID SAMPLE APPROXIMATELY SIX BY SIX INCHES, THREE FOURTHS INCHES THICK. THIS IS ESSENTIALLY A GOLD ORE WITH URANIUM CONTENT AVERAGING ZERO POINT 25 TO ZERO POINT 57 KILOGRAMS OF URANIUM OXIDE PER TON TREATED ACCORDING CHAMBER OF MINES REPORTS. SA AEB OFFICIAL SAID MATERIAL REQUIRED NO SPECIAL PACKAGING SINCE RADIOACTIVITY NEGLIGIBLE FOR THIS PURPOSE. SA AEB HAS PACKAGE READY FOR DELIVERY. ADVISE APPROVAL AND WHETHER COURIER OR UNACCOMPANIED POUCH REQUIRED.

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